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SUBJ: SRI LANKA: HUMAN RIGHTS

1. AMBASSADOR 17 JANUARY RECEIVED FOLLOWING LETTER DATED 11
JANUARY FROM PRIME MINISTER.

2. BEGIN TEXT:

THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR LETTER DATED 28TH DECEMBER
1977 FORWARDING A COPY OF PRESIDENT CARTER'S STATEMENT ON
HUMAN RIGHTS. I READ THE STATEMENT WITH INTEREST BECAUSE MY
GOVERNMENT TOO IS WORKING TOWARDS THE ACHIEVEMENT OF THE SAME
OBJECTIVES AS ENVISAGED IN PRESIDENT CARTER'S STATEMENT.

AS YOU ARE AWARE VERY RECENTLY MY GOVERNMENT HAS REPEALED
ALL THOSE REPRESSIVE LEGISLATIONS WHICH AFFECT HUMAN RIGHTS.
MY GOVERNMENT WHICH IS COMMITTED TO CREATE A FREE AND JUST
SOCIETY WILL ALWAYS SUPPORT ACTIVITIES IN THE FIELD OF HUMAN
RIGHTS.

WITH KIND REGARDS
YOURS SINCERELY,

S/S
J. R. JAYEWARDENE

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END TEXT.
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Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
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Channel Indicators: n/a
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Draft Date: 17 jan 1978
Decaption Date: 01 jan 1960
Decaption Note:
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Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Case Number: n/a
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